

Red River Classic Mustang Club

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FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK

Probably the big deal of October had to be the High Low Fast Slow show at ABC auto parts October 15th. This year, Nicole Ferlito decided to have the show during the day on Saturday as opposed to at night, which turned out to be a great idea. Last year, the original show date got rained out, and postponed till November. Which was OK until the sun went down, then everyone pretty much froze to death. Suffice it to say, having the show during the day this year paid off with over 121 cars registered at the show.

Like last year, Nicole used our club and Mopar for labor in exchange for a check to use for our favorite charity. I got there at 9:30 and started out helping with registration for most of the day. Cars started trickling in at 10:00 and ran all the way thru till 1pm. The plan was to have judging and scoring finished by 4, but since people were still wanting to register, we continued to take registrations till 2pm. We could have continued to register cars past 2, probably because not everyone heard that the show was during the day, but maybe next year they will come early.

All things considered, the weather was great. Yes, it did get hot, but not as bad as it had been over the summer. Not quite as humid, and a slight breeze kept the temps in the mid to upper 80s all day. That did not keep people from coming out and entering a vehicle, or just stopping by to check out the cars.

There were several vendors, including a car stereo business, which between him and someone else with their own high powered stereo drove me crazy every time they fired up the stereo. Yes, I have a pretty serious

system in my car, but it's not so bass heavy that your teeth rattle on every beat. Those guys were hitting so hard, one you couldn't tell where the bass was coming from, and the pressure was enough to get a headache. It was impressive the first few times, but after that, it got old and stale.

Other than that, the show was enjoyable. The usual Mopar guys were there, as were members from other clubs around the area. Zak Worden showed up and hung out for a while, and Jim Reilly came out and entered his new 5.0 mustang in the show. You know its a great show when you see a lot of people you know. I saw plenty. Even Christopher Prest came out in his SPD Fox Body Coupe that he just got running recently. That's great news, since his car will be a great addition to next year's World of Wheels Display.

Unfortunately, I was not able to stay for the awards ceremony, but I did see the awards before they were presented. They were rolling mechanics seats with the category and place stitched into the seat. Quite an ingenious idea for an award. Those awards won't just sit around the house. They will actually get put to good use.

Thanks to all the club members that came out and helped run the show. Because of that effort, we were able to secure 250.00 for our charities. Nicole's charity also got a nice contribution once the show was a wrap. A successful show means another one next year. I look forward to helping out with that show as well.

Thomas Monahan

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ELECTION COVERAGE

Platform for Chris Ponder running for Secretary of the Red River Classic Mustang Club.

As a relatively new member to the club I have tried to play an active role by participating and trying to grow the membership of the club. During this past year I assisted with the construction of the World of Wheels car show display, worked several shifts at the show, participated in at least one cruise each month and attended several monthly board meetings.

I am willing to invest my time to serve as the secretary of our club and perform the duties required by the office. I will work to grow the membership and encourage participation by our members. If elected, I will support

the President, the board and the club membership to the best of my abilities. My qualifications to hold a board position are: I currently manage the IT department of a large local hospital, I am an active member of the club, participating in many cruises and shows this year, a Mustang Club of America member and I am a certified MCA Judge.

If you feel that I would support the club and carry out the duties of the club secretary, please cast your vote for me.

Chris Ponder

Platform for Chris Ponder running for MCA Regional Director for the Red River Classic Mustang Club.

I am a multiple Mustang owner with an interest in growing our club membership and persuading MCA to assist with recruitment and support of the Regional Clubs. As such, I would like to be your representative as the club MCA Regional Director. I am a MCA member, a certified judge, have the time available and am able to attend most all of the National Board of Director meetings. I would like the opportunity to take your thoughts and ideas to the National Directors.

I would appreciate your vote for this position.

Chris Ponder

The ballot for the 2016 Board of Directors is below. All positions are unopposed so no formal vote will be taken. Board will be approved by show of hands by members in attendance at the December meeting. Please volunteer for open positions.

President	Thomas Monahan	Incumbent, unopposed
Vice President	Mark Winderweedle	Unopposed
Secretary	Chris Ponder	Unopposed
Treasurer	Vickie Doss	Incumbent, unopposed
Show Director	Open	
Activities Director	Nicole Ferlito	Incumbent, unopposed
Newsletter Director	Open	
Internet Director	Jeff Crockett	Incumbent, unopposed
Member at Large	Stephen Gayer	Incumbent, unopposed
Member at Large	Ernie Lane	Incumbent, unopposed
MCA Regional Director	Chris Ponder	Unopposed

THE EVENT PLANNER

Nov 6	12-4	State Fair Car Show	Fair Grounds
Nov 12	2-	Marshall Cruise Night	Marshall, TX
Dec 3	11-2	Harrison Paint 2nd Annual Car Show	Harrison Paint on Benton Rd.
Dec 10	9-1	Santa Fun Run	
Jan 27-29		World of Wheels Custom Auto Show	Shreveport Convention Center

ACTIVITIES

Fall is in the air and the holidays are around the corner. But before Santa Claus comes down the chimney we still have a few Mustang Club actives to do.

First we start off the month of November with our monthly club meeting at the Asbury Church on Airline Drive in Bossier City 5:00 pm. After the meeting we will be cruising to Blue for dinner on the corner of Fairfield and Pierremont. Sunday the 6th is the car show at the Louisiana State Fair noon to 4 pm. Saturday the 12th the club will be cruising to Marshall for their last Downtown Cruise night. Our monthly board meeting is Wednesday the 16th. Happy Thanksgiving to everyone on the 24th.

A few things for December to put on the

calendar. On the 3rd, Harrison Paint will be hosting their second annual show at the Harrison Paint on Benton Rd from 11-2. Our monthly meeting will also be on the 3rd, followed by our annual Christmas Party. This year our party will be at Country Tavern in Shreveport. The attire is dressy casual and no children at the party please. Grown-ups only. The annual Santa Fun Run is planned for Saturday the 10th. Location for meet up and times are soon to come.

Happy Turkey Day
 Nicole Ferlito
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November Birthdays

Elizabeth Brozic
 Thomas Brozic
 Dennis Shoup

December Birthdays

Gene Brock
 Rhonda Butler
 Stephanie Horton
 Buz Wheless
 Philip White
 Mark Winderweedle



MCA NEWS

Lots of things happening. First of all, we received the go ahead for the regional clubs to use Motosho for the registration for their regional car shows. Received a flash drive which is supposed to have easy instructions for use. Also, included on it is information for regional directors. Registering for the national shows will be going paperless by 2018. 2017 is the year that all notification will be sent out.

There was talk of a Mustang 55th birthday celebration. No word from Ford yet on if they are planning one. A possible site for this event was Watkins Glen, NY. Nothing is definite yet. It was also discussed that if held during the April month it might not be good traveling time if held in the upper regions of the US. I'm sure there will be lots of input for the future.

Shows for the next year to attend will be Pensacola, Fl. March 23-27 and the Grand National in Kansas City August 22-28. Start planning for it now. You can register now for the shows. I'm still trying to get the hotel numbers. Will send them out just as soon as I can.

Don't forget the Santa Fun Run will be coming up next month. Let's plan to have the largest Mustang showing ever.

See you on the road,
Donna



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TREASURER'S REPORT

Hi everyone! I hope your Halloween was fun. We didn't have as many treaters as we did in the past, but did meet a neighbor wanting to restomod a falcon. We invited them to our meetings, unfortunately he works Saturday nights.

I would like to set up a private Painting With A Twist Class on a Sunday afternoon to paint our cars. Ashley, and/or one of the other teachers will take your car picture and trace it on a canvas. They will then help us paint our painting. For a private class I need at least 10 people to sign up. The class is 3 hours and it will cost \$55.00. If you would like to do this let me know so I can set it up. You will receive an email with a private code to register. This is a blast - I will have the class in Studio "A" where you can drink water, beer or wine. You will need a valid id and must be of age to participate. If I do not get at least 10 RRCMC members I will offer this class to Mopar, Corvette and the rest of the car clubs here in town.

Also, it is time to elect board members, I would LOVE for someone to offer to be the treasurer next year. I will be very happy to help in anyway and answer any questions.

It is not a hard position, but I need a break since I have been at this position for a long time. Please consider a board position, all of us on the board would help you and we would not be offended if you would take one of our positions.

Sincerely,
Vickie Doss
Treasurer

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Date: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

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Phone: Home _____ Work: _____ Cell: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Mustang Club of America (MCA) membership number: _____

Family Information

Spouse / Co-member Name: _____

E-mail address: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Phone: Work: _____ Cell: _____

Children(s) Name(s) & Birth Date(s): _____

Automobile Information

YEAR	MODEL	DESCRIPTION (Color, modifications, special edition, etc.)

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Signature: _____

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